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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice # 05986-01 March 11, 2014

This notice is to inform the public that the S. C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (Agency) is taking public comments on a Corrective Action Plan (CAP). This CAP addresses the cleanup of soil and groundwater contamination at the facility listed below. The contamination was caused by petroleum products that were released from the underground storage tank system at this facility.

FACILITY: Gaston Food Mart, 105 N Main St., Gaston, SC

APPLICANT: PhA Environmental Restoration, 114 Norris St., Eutawville, SC 29048 on behalf of Shumpert Oil Co., 814 Pine St., Pelion, SC 29123.

SUMMARY OF CAP: Petroleum and petroleum byproducts naturally break down over time through chemical, physical, and biological processes. These processes are called natural attenuation. PhA Environmental Restoration has submitted a CAP proposing the use of the following technologies in addition to natural attenuation to clean up the contamination.

- Air Sparge/Soil Vapor Extraction: Circulation of clean air into the subsurface to help extract petroleum vapors from the groundwater and applying a vacuum to the subsurface to extract the resulting petroleum vapors from the ground.
- Vacuum Enhanced Multiphase Extraction: A high-pressure vacuum is used to pump out petroleum vapors, contaminated groundwater, and petroleum product.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE:** The **deadline** for submitting written comments is **5 PM April 4, 2014**. Any interested person(s) may submit written comments concerning the cleanup to the Project Manager listed below. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons whom you know will be interested in this matter. Where there is a significant degree of public interest, the Agency will hold a public hearing.

Read S. Miner SCDHEC - UST Management Division 2600 Bull Street Columbia SC 29201 803-898-0608

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For additional information, please call the Project Manager listed above. To view a copy of the CAP, contact the Freedom of Information Office at 803-898-3882.

Section 280.67 of the S.C. Underground Storage Tank Control Regulations (R.61-92) requires that any CAP prepared to meet the requirements of 280.66 be placed on notice for public comment.